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George Culler House
Feagaville
Private Residence

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC George Culler House

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

5521 Feagaville Lane

CITY, TOWN

Feagaville

— VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

E.D. 23

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Frederick

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT☒ BUILDING(S)☐ STRUCTURE☐ SITE☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC☒ PRIVATE☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED☐ UNOCCUPIED☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☐ YES: RESTRICTED☒ YES: UNRESTRICTED☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE☐ COMMERCIAL☐ EDUCATIONAL☐ ENTERTAINMENT☐ GOVERNMENT☐ INDUSTRIAL☐ MILITARY☐ MUSEUM☐ PARK☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE☐ RELIGIOUS☐ SCIENTIFIC☐ TRANSPORTATION☐ OTHER:**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME L. Pfeifer

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

5521 Feagaville Lane

CITY, TOWN

Frederick

— VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21701

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTIONCOURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Frederick County Courthouse

Liber #: 948

Folio #: 522

STREET & NUMBER

North Court St.

CITY, TOWN

Frederick

STATE

Maryland

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCALDEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

F-3-26

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The George Culler House is a two and one-half story ell shaped cross gabled frame house which faces west from the east side of Feagaville Lane in Feagaville.

The principal facade is three bays wide. The main entrance, an original four panel door with upper arched panels and unusually wide three light transom is located in the second bay. The entrance is surrounded by a multipaned glass and frame enclosure.

Double hung 2/2 windows set into arched molded openings and flanked by louvered shutters are located in the first and third bays on the first level and each bay on the second level.

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The main block of the building is two bays deep with windows identical to those in the front located in each bay. Unusually, only one window is located on the second level on the south gable end. A decorative gable identical to the front is located on the north and south ends of the building.

A two story original frame addition two bays wide extends to the northeast rear of the building. A two story open porch with plain beveled columns and flat board railing is located along the south side of the addition.

The entire building is constructed on a low random stone foundation covered with concrete.

The building is covered with a cross gable standing seam tin roof with boxed cornice and return. Two single interior corbeled chimneys rise from the north and east gable ends.

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8 SIGNIFICANCE

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PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES 1902

BUILDER/ARCHITECT George Culler

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

In January, 1900 George Culler purchased one and three-eighths acres along the road to Zimmerman's Mill (now Feagaville Lane) from Catharine Culler for \$180.00.¹

By 1906, George Culler who according to his daughter was a carpenter had built the existing two and one-half story Carpenter Gothic residence and in the same year sold it to Sarah Hargett for \$350.00.²

The house changed hands approximately once every ten years until 1935 when it was purchased by the current owner, Effie Pfeifer and her husband, William.³

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¹Frederick County Land Records, Liber DHH 7; Folio 111.

²Ibid., Liber 274; Folio 43.

³Ibid., Liber 397; Folio 492.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATAACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 1 3/8 acres

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

clh

Cherilyn E. Widell, Coordinator

ORGANIZATION

DATE

Frederick County Office of Historic Preservation5/5/80

STREET & NUMBER

TELEPHONE

Winchester Hall, 12 E. Church St.694-1063

CITY OR TOWN

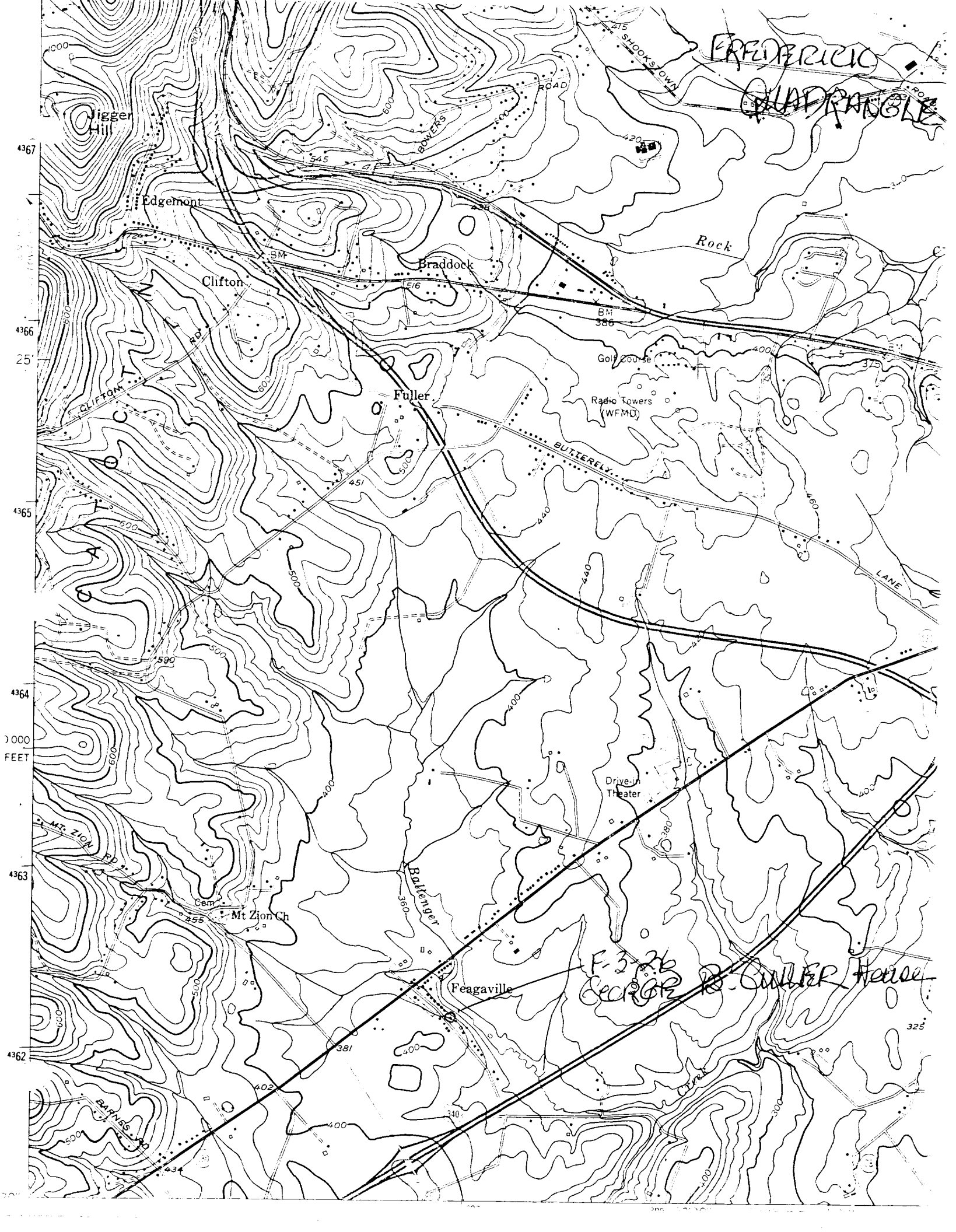
STATE

FrederickMaryland

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Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438



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QUADRANGLE

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GEORGE B. FULLER House



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George Cullen
House

5521 Peagawille
Lane

CRW 3/80

West Elevation



F-3-26

George Cullen House

5521 Peagawille

Jane

Cen 3/80

Southwest

Elevation